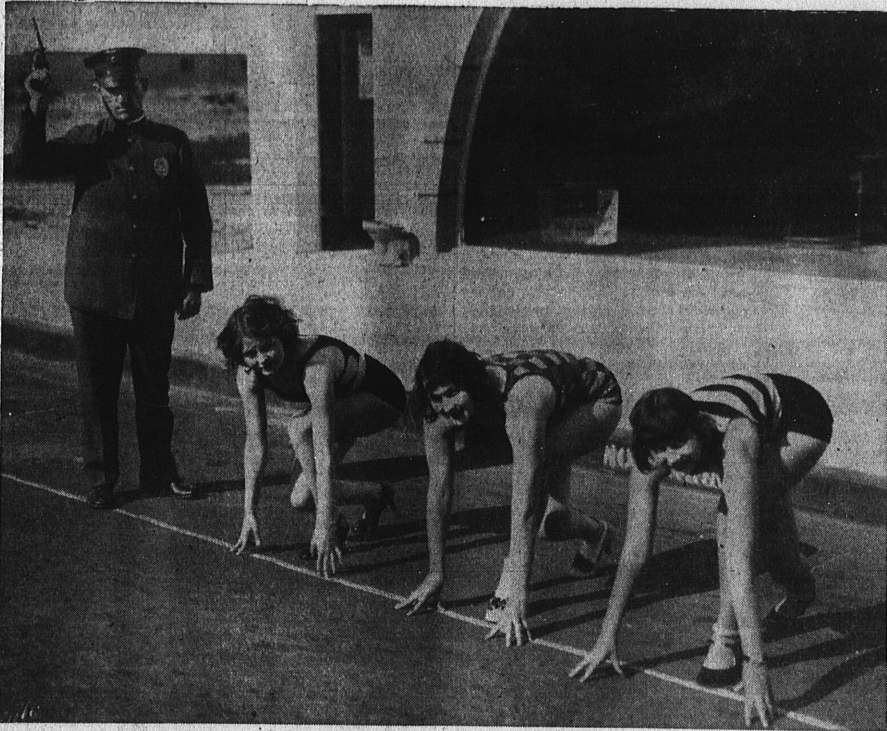




Scenes of Yesteryear...



"ON YOUR MARK" . . . From the pages of the Herald's Family Album comes this early photo of three unidentified bathing beauties toeing the mark in a race staged to publicize

the new Chevrolets which had just arrived at Jack Hansen's agency. Formidable looking gentleman with cannon at the left is Police Chief John Stroth.



NO TRAFFIC PROBLEM HERE . . . Model T's and Franklins, and the rumble of the "Big Red Cars" of the Pacific Electric Railway were common along Cabrillo avenue when this photo

from the Family Album of Torrance Herald was snapped during the city's early years. Exact date photo was taken is unknown.



FOUR MONTHS LATER—STEEL . . . Exactly four months after this photo was taken on January 18, 1927 the first bar of steel started rolling through Columbia Steel's new sheet mill. There to mark the event was D. H. Botchford, executive

vice-president of Columbia Steel (with shovel) and W. L. Booth, plant superintendent (between man with clock and calendar).



CHANGING TIMES . . . Hemlines, like the mercury in a thermometer, go up and down as this wedding photo of 20 years ago clearly indicates. The wedding party pictured is that of

the Amy Dolores LaFoucade-William Thomas Mullin nuptials performed June 29, 1929. The Mullins now reside at 1346 Encarnacion avenue.



TOPPER . . . Remembered by many residents of the early thirties was the high silk hat of Mayor W. T. Klusman. He died in 1944.



STAYED DRILLERS . . . Here's the drill team of the American Legion Auxiliary of 20 years ago. Many of the women pictured still live in Torrance. Standing, left to right: Alice Cook, Mary Harder, Clara Staeger, Mrs. Howe, Myrtle Schumacher, Elida Barkdull, Alma South, Helen Leslie, Ethel Bowker, and

Clara Conner. Seated, left to right: Clara Baxter, Phyllis Budge, Nora Deininger, Dorothy Harder, Mathilda Sager, and Carlota Reeve. Lower row: Clarabelle Darling and Bessie Myers.